

Procurement Guidelines

PURCHASING CARD

- The Purchasing Card may be used for small dollar purchases in compliance with University Purchasing policy and procedures.
 - o General rules:
 - No purchases over \$5,000
 - Submit <u>original</u> receipt to your admin on the day of purchase
 - Some unallowable purchases include: alcohol, animals, firearms/ammunition, foreign visitors, gifts/donations, hazardous materials, hotels, medical services and pre-paid cards.
 - PCard can be checked out from the Business Office or see your admin to make a purchase.
- http://www.pacs.arizona.edu/files/DosDonts%20September%202010.pdf
- http://www.pacs.arizona.edu/pcard policies manual

ARIZONA BUYWAYS

- Arizona BuyWays (Shop Catalogs) is the University of Arizona's E-Procurement Solution with access to contracted pricing.
 - Some preferred vendors include:
 - Dell Marketing L.P., Fisher Scientific, Grainger, HP, Newark, Newegg, Office Depot, Office Max, Staples, Tech-Depot, The UA BookStores and West-Press
 - o Complete list of vendors: http://www.pacs.arizona.edu/AZ Buyways
 - o Contact your admin or the Business Office to place an order.

PURCHASE ORDER

- A purchase order must be used for ordering all supplies, equipment and services from off campus vendors totaling \$5,000 or more.
- For purchase orders please obtain:
 - o 3 competitive quotes OR a sole source justification
 - See the Business Office or your admin for a list of additional required documentation necessary to complete your specific
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- http://pacs.arizona.edu/manual_page03#purchase

DISBURSEMENT VOUCHER

- Check payment used to request employee reimbursements and direct payments to off campus vendors or organizations.
 - o The DV should only be used when the vendor does not accept credit cards and a purchase order is not appropriate.
 - o A DV is completed after services have been rendered.
 - o Please contact your admin or the Business Office to determine if a DV is appropriate.

INTERNAL BILLING/SERVICE BILLING

- Used to purchase goods and services from on campus vendors.
 - o Invoice required